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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Second Amendment After final Rejection Under 37 CFR § 1.116 for filing in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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					T \$180	\$	T \$360	\$
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\* not fewer than 20  
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			X \$125	\$1	X \$250	\$1	1 Sheets

## Petition for Extension of Time

- ☐ Applicant hereby petitions to extend the time to respond to the [ ] dated [ ] for [ ] month(s) from [ ] to [ ]. The appropriate fee is set forth below.
- ☒ The undersigned attorney petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a Notice of Appeal in reply to the Office Action made Final dated October 31, 2006 for one (1) month, from January 31, 2007 to February 28, 2007 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

Applicant's Attorney is not filing a Notice of Appeal at this time but is filing a Second Amendment After Final concurrently herewith.

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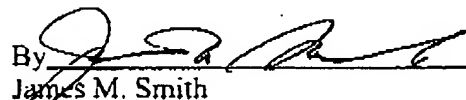
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Respectfully submitted,

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